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TOWN OF STRATFORD
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Lancaster, New Hampshire.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen.
J. C. HUTCHINS N. W. BALDWIN J. N. CONNARY

Town Clerk.
E. B. FULLER.

Town Treasurer.
A. D. NORCOTT.

School Board.
J. C. HUTCHINS G. R. MAGOON H. T. CONNARY

Collector of Taxes.
PERCY R. DALBEC

Road Commissioners.
A. D. NORCOTT W. W. ROBERTS BERT STINSON

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Supervisors.
J. C. PATTEE H. T. CONNARY GEO. E. TWOHEY

Auditors.
H. L. HINMAN N. D. PATTEE

Moderator.
J. C. HUTCHINS

State of New Hampshire.

To the inhabitants of the town of Stratford qualified to vote in town affairs:—

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said town, on Tuesday, the 12th day of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:—

1. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
2. To choose three selectmen, a town treasurer, one or more highway commissioners, and all other necessary town officers.
3. To see what sum of money the town will raise for paying town expenses, electric lights, for repairing highways and bridges, and for the construction of state highway.
4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Memorial Day.
5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for public libraries.
6. To see if the town will vote to amend the contract now existing with the Groveton Electric Light Company by adding ten new street lights and to raise money therefor.
7. To see if the town will vote to construct or rent a suitable building for storing road machine, rollers, scrapers, and all tools and utensils for highway construction, and to raise money therefor.
8. To see if the town will vote to purchase the farm and property, now occupied and owned by Emery M. D. Ball and Willard Ball, in East Stratford, and to see if the town will

vote to discontinue the highway leading to said property from Stone's Mills so-called.

9. To elect a delegate to the Constitutional Convention to be held in Concord, June 5, 1912.

10. To hear the reports of officers, auditors, and agents heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relative thereto.

Given under our hands and seal this 24th day of February, 1912, at Stratford, New Hampshire.

JOHN C. HUTCHINS,
NESTOR W. BALDWIN,
JOHN N. CONNARY,
} Selectmen of Stratford.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Inventory.

Polls, 245	$ 24,500 00
Real Estate	612,330 00
Horses, 403	21,655 00
Oxen, 15	665 00
Cows, 463	9,635 00
Neat stock, 80	1,325 00
Sheep, 15	61 00
Hogs,	35 00
Carriages	1,500 00
Stock in banks and other corporations	10,700 00
Money on hand and at interest	10,498 03
Stock in trade	29,125 00
Aqueducts, mills and machinery	3,000 00
Total assets Apr. 1, 1911,	$725,029 03

Amount of Taxes Assessed.

State tax	$ 1,246 00
County tax	1,095 01
Town expenses	300 00
Schools	6,700 00
Memorial Day	100 00
Highways	2,608 26
Libraries	450 00
Electric lights	250 00
Bridge, Stratford Hollow	1,000 00
Overlay	135 44
Total taxes assessed	$12,319 71
Rate of taxation	$1.70

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Receipts.

Cash on hand Feb. 21, 1911	$ 4,749 90
Laura Johnson fund	3,189 81
Total receipts during year	17,279 42
	$25,219 13

Disbursements.

Total disbursements during the year	$ 19,323 80
Laura Johnson fund	3,189 81
Interest due on Laura Johnson fund	120 47
Cash on hand Feb. 21, 1912	2,585 05
	$25,219 13

Receipts.

1911		
Mar 22	Cash on hand	$4,749 90
	Laura Johnson fund	3,189 81
June 2	Percy R. Dalbec, collector	200 00
July 3	" " " "	60 00
17	Haven Schoff, rent on Priest lot	2 46
31	License Comm'rs, amount due Stratford July 15, 1911	55 52
Aug 12	Percy R. Dalbec, collector	211 32
Sept 2	" " " "	8,956 14
5	J. C. Hutchins, county pauper bills	154 32
6	J. C. Hutchins, balance county pauper bill	23 00
14	Percy R. Dalbec, collector	551 10
Oct 2	" " " "	129 45

Oct	6	J. C. Hutchins, account of highway fund	1,656 48
Nov	7	Percy R. Dalbec, collector	199 43
Dec	1	J. C. Hutchins, account of highway fund	494 81
	9	Percy R. Dalbec, collector	550 35
	13	Solon A. Carter, railroad tax	559 49
		" " " savings bank tax	594 32
		" " " library fund	190 08
		" " " school fund	1,255 45
1912			
Jan	19	Percy Dalbec, collector	601 28
Feb	14	W. R. Brown, on 50-acre school lot	3 00
		Chas. Stinson, rent on Priest lot	1 50
	15	E. B. Fuller, dog licenses	93 50
		Percy R. Dalbec, balance of tax	488 91
		J. C. Pattee, police funds	38 00
	16	S. P. Connary, tax on 60 acres, 1906-7-8-9-10-11	21 60
		Interest on Laura Johnson fund in Lancaster Savings Bank	62 42
		Interest on Laura Johnson fund in Siwooganock Savings Bank	58 05
		Interest on deposit in Lancaster Savings Bank	65 03
		G. A. French, overpaid bill	2 41
			$25,219 13

Disbursements.

1911			
Mar	22	H. H. Hinman, Treas. School Board, bal. of school order	$ 888 44
	24	H. H. Hinman, Treas. School Board	1,200 00
	29	Geo. R. Mason, work on highway	10 00
	31	W. E. Stevenson, shoveling snow	4 80

Apr	4	W. W. Roberts, running snow roller	15 00
	5	Emery and William Ball, shoveling snow, etc.	20 00
		H. J. Johnson, labor on highway	32 12
		Edwin Blake, running snow roller	10 00
		Coos County Democrat, printing town reports	33 40
	18	Benj. Cates, shoveling snow	8 92
		W. E. Stevenson, " "	11 85
	25	Haven Schoff, " "	3 50
		Lewis Parker " "	3 00
		Thompson Mfg. Co., bolts for North Stratford bridge	2 60
	26	Bert Stinson, shoveling snow	21 68
May	22	A. D. Norcott, road commissioner	322 46
	26	Bert Stinson, highway	19 24
	27	T. C. Atkinson, work for Scott family	2 00
		C. D. Platt, shoveling snow	1 00
		E. D. Young, work on vault	25 00
	31	Ella L. Ockington, Memorial Day	50 00
June	11	W. W. Roberts, highways	85 00
	19	A. D. Norcott, state highway	246 65
	20	Bert Stinson, highway	96 12
	21	H. H. Hinman, Treas. School Board	1,800 00
	24	W. W. Roberts, highway	80 00
July	10	A. D. Norcott, state road	700 00
	20	David Egan, painting Stratford Hollow bridge	46 00
	21	Adna Schoff, mowing Baldwin cemetery	5 00
		E. H. Macloon, lighting bridge to May 11	20 00
		G. T. R. R., freight on road roller	23 20
Aug.	8	John N. Connary, bounty on hedgehogs	5 40

Aug		Charles Allen, shoveling snow	1 00
		John Connary, " "	2 15
	9	United Construction Co., sluice pipe	72 30
		" " " bridge, Stratford Hollow	351 50
		Ames Plow Co., plow	19 90
		Burges Fobes, bridge paint	45 00
		J. C. Hutchins, freight on paint and pipe	10 65
	11	Secretary of State, engrossing bill to convey land	75
	14	Simeon Seames, abatement of poll tax	1 70
	21	G. T. R. R., freight on cement	72 73
	26	Geo. R. Mason, care of cemetery	10 00
		Bert Stinson, highway	57 95
	30	Julia Young, return of births, 1910,	50
		Iva McMann, " " 1910	25
		Mrs. M. E. Brown, " " "	25
Sept	5	A. D. Norcott, state highway	258 09
	6	Frank Bartlett, supplies county paupers	2 00
		H. T. Connary, goods furnished county paupers	3 55
		F. W. Evans, attending county paupers	42 25
		Mrs. S. Holmes, laundry county paupers	5 00
		Wm. Hapgood, supplies county paupers	36 25
		Hinman & Sweatt, supplies county paupers	3 70
		J. C. Hutchins, supplies county paupers	36 55
		R. F. Beattie & Co., supplies county paupers	25 02

Sept	10	A. D. Norcott, state highway	229 28
	15	" " " " "	129 75
		W. W. Roberts, highways	87 50
	20	A. D. Norcott, "	280 23
	21	David Egan, payment on Stratford Hollow bridge	254 62
	22	David Egan, balance on Stratford Hollow bridge	375 38
Oct	5	M. C. R. R., freight on plow and points	1 22
		H. H. Hinman, school funds	250 00
	7	" " " "	500 00
	31	Chas. McMann, shoveling snow	5 50
Nov	2	H. T. Connary, freight	1 00
	14	Bert Stinson, highways	36 47
Dec	4	H. H. Hinman, school funds	1,800 00
	15	L. F. Blake, road roller	111 80
		H. H. Hinman, school funds	250 00
	23	Chas. Williams, labor on town building	26 75
1912			
Feb	5	H. H. Hinman, bal. school funds	1,974 85
	6	J. C. Pattee, library funds	450 00
	10	Stevens Bros., cement and tools	29 55
		Hazen B. Blodgett, fighting fire	1 00
	14	C. J. French, labor on town building	21 25
		Willie Young, tending lanterns	4 65
		L. F. Moore, cement and tools	88 80
		Chas. Miller, work on town building	25 88
		Chas. Clark, abatement of taxes	17 00
		A. D. Norcott, attending Good Roads meeting at Concord	11 07
		Edson C. Eastman, books and blanks	5 55
		Fred A. Cross, fighting fire	3 00
		A. C. Blodgett " "	1 00
		H. T. Connary, " "	2 50

Feb	W. H. Kimball, water trough	3 00
	A. C. Blodgett, " "	3 00
	Ira B. Hoskins, " "	3 00
	Levi Hoskins, " "	3 00
	Mrs. Frank Stone, keeping tramps	3 00
	L. F. Crown and J. J. Blodgett, gravel for highway	101 52
	Geo. M. Stevens & Son Co., insurance	97 00
	Antipus Young, tending lanterns	4 65
	Horace Blodgett, goods furnished county charges	30 70
	Robert Christie, breaking roads 1910 and 1911	6 50
	Bert Stinson, labor on highway	8 25
	" " " " "	12 81
	Geo. R. Mason, fighting fire	2 00
	W. H. Kimball, plank, boards, etc.	77 77
	D. W. Burnside, gravel	16 80
15	H. T. Connary, services as supervisor	3 00
	H. T. Connary, school director	20 00
	" " supplies furnished Bell family	21 12
	A. L. Wheeler, services on Board of Health	3 75
	A. L. Wheeler, goods furnished county charges	11 50
	Samuel Parker, breaking roads	4 00
	Samuel Stone, " "	3 00
	Charles Curtis, " "	10 40
	Louis Parker, " "	4 50
	R. F. Beattie & Co., tools and spike,	10 45
	F. W. Evans, diphtheria antitoxin	260 00
	" " services on board of health	11 90
	Geo. A. French, repairs on tools, etc.	8 29

Feb	G. R. Magoon, services as school director	20 00
	A. P. Reynolds, return of marriages	25
	A. D. Norcott, return of births, deaths and marriages	9 75
	E. B. Fuller, recording births and deaths	6 00
	E. B. Fuller, services as town clerk	40 00
	" " moving town books	3 00
	" " collecting dog tax	10 00
	J. C. Pattee, burial permits	2 55
	F. L. Kenney, " "	90
	Wm. Hapgood, exploring lands	15 00
	Frank Dalbec, " "	2 00
	J. C. Pattee, costs in criminal cases	10 00
	H. H. Sanderson, blanks	6 50
	W. G. Brent, costs in criminal cases	4 86
	G. A. French, " " " "	6 50
	North Stratford Electric Light Co., street light 6 months	125 00
	J. C. Pattee, library trustee, bal. library fund, 1910,	50 00
	W. W. Roberts, running snow roller	44 00
	" " labor on highways	29 38
	Arthur Hapgood, shoveling snow	3 25
	Vesta Cooper Stevens, bounty on hedgehog	20
	Selectmen, bounty on hedgehogs	7 60
	J. C. Hutchins, expenses Memorial Day	9 00
	J. C. Hutchins, expenses attending Concord tax com.	11 85
	N. W. Baldwin, " " Concord tax com.	12 53
	N. W. Baldwin, plank	13 00
	Good Roads Machine Co.	22 70
	Edward Daley, keeping tramps	11 25
	E. D. Young, bal on town vault	78 98

Feb	N. W. Baldwin, services as selectman	75 00
	J. N. Connary, " " "	50 00
	J. C. Hutchins, " " "	100 00
	" " paint and repairs on town vault	140 00
	Hinman & Sweatt, food for county charges	5 85
	J. C. Hutchins, use of hearse, 1911	20 00
	" " school director	25 00
	" " water for fountain	6 00
	" " services as moderator	6 00
	A. D. Norcott, fees and postage	26 00
	E. C. Brown, abatement	15 30
	H. H. Hinman, Treas. School Board, dog tax	168 50
	A. D. Norcott, bal. state highway fund	1,059 03
	H. L. Hinman, services as auditor	2 00
	N. D. Pattee, " " "	2 00
	Percy R. Dalbec, abatements	25 16
	" " " collecting taxes	119 48
	Conn. Valley Lumber Co., bunk spreads	5 25
	Geo. E. Twohey, services as supervisor	3 00
	V. C. Beecher, serving papers on A. Raney and R. Bronson	1 24
Nov 29	F. W. Page, county tax	1,095 01
Dec 13	Solon A. Carter, state tax	1,246 00
		$19,323 80
1912		
Feb 12	Cash on hand	2,585 05
	Laura Johnson fund	3,310 28
		$25,219 13

Liabilities.

N. D. Piper, cemetery trust fund	$150 00

Laura Johnson, cemetery trust fund	100 00
	$250 00

Assets.

Cash on hand	$2,585 05
Laura Johnson fund	3,310 28
Highway fund in state treasury	979 15
	$6,874 48
Cemetery trust fund	250 00
Assets above liabilities, Feb. 21, 1912,	$6,624 48

A. D. NORCOTT, Treasurer.

Stratford, N. H., Feb. 22, 1912.

This certifies that we have this day examined the books and accounts of A. D. Norcott, treasurer of the town of Stratford, and find them correctly compiled and vouchers on file for all money paid out.

H. L. HINMAN, }
N. D. PATTEE, } Auditors.

State of New Hampshire.

OFFICE OF STATE TREASURER,
Concord, Dec. 14, 1911.

John C. Hutchins, Esq., Selectman of Stratford, Coos, N. H.

Dear Sir: You will find by the enclosed statement that the distribution on account of railroad tax is less than in 1910. The reason for this is that the tax on the Grand Trunk Railroad for 1911 has not been adjusted, and therefore no apportionment could be made.

In 1910 the towns on the line of the road received the proportion of the tax as assessed, $37,044.00, while the payment on account of that tax was only $10,000.00.

The matter is under consideration now; but no decision has been reached as to the amount the state may receive. It is possible that the places receiving their tax last year may be asked at some future time to reimburse the state for a part of the amount.

Very Truly Yours,
SOLON A. CARTER,
State Treasurer.

NORTH STRATFORD, N. H., Feb. 23, 1912.

To the Taxpayers of Stratford:—

Gentlemen: After reading the foregoing letter from the State Treasurer, you will note that the railroad tax received by the town of Stratford for the preceding year, 1910, was $2379.98, while this year, 1911, only $559.49, making $1820.49 less than received in 1910. This amount, to which we are entitled, added to our assets, would make a decided improvement in the figures.

Very Truly,
J. C. HUTCHINS,
Chairman.

HIGHWAY REPORT.

Report of A. D. Norcott, Commissioner.

Wm. Hapgood, ¾ day at $1 75	$ 1 31
" " 2 " " 2 00	4 00
Archie Paradis, 1½ days at 1 75	2 62
James Stone, team 8 days at 4 00	32 00
A. D. Norcott, 13½ days at 3 00	40 50
Everett Stone, 1 day at 1 75	1 75
Chas. Williams, ½ day at 2 00	1 00
Peter Daley, teams	3 00
Sam Ramsey, ¾ day at 1 75	87
Ned Holmes, 10 days at 1 75	17 50
Karl Norcott, 8½ days at 1 75	14 87
Verne Schoff, 9 days at 1 75	15 75
Irvin Chaffee, 6 days at 1 75	10 50
Henry Brown, 2 days at 1 75	3 50
W. W. Roberts, man and 6 horses 2 days at 7 50	15 00
John Hinman, team 6 days at 4 00	24 00
Harry Irving, 2½ days at 1 75	4 35
W. W. Roberts, team 2 days at 4 00	8 00
N. W. Baldwin, team 2 days at 4 00	8 00
Mike Dale, 2 days at 1 75	3 50
Cyrus Hartshorn, 1 day at 1 75	1 75
Wm. Matchewan, 1½ days at 1 75	2 62
Geo. Stevens, team ½ day at 4 00	2 00
Ed Stevens, team 1 day at 4 00	4 00
Richard Dale, ½ day at 1 75	87
Allie Chaffee, 2½ days at 1 75	4 35
Henry Jonah, fixing culvert	2 00
" " breaking roads	1 50
G. T. R. R., freight on tools and pipe	50

Wm. Hapgood, 1 day at 1 75	1 75
Don W. Stevens, 1 day at 1 75	1 75
Peter Daley, teams	7 00
	$242 11

A. D. NORCOTT,
Commissioner.

W. W. Roberts, Road Commissioner.

In account with the Town of Stratford.

Dr.

1911		
June 5	To town order	$ 85 00
24	" " "	80 00
Sept 15	" " "	87 50
1912		
Feb 15	" " "	29 48
		$281 98

Cr.

Pd.	W. W. Roberts, labor	$169 93
	C. L. Lyman	25
	H. T. Connary	20
	Provonchi	25
	Thos. Hill	3 50
	S. P. Connary	2 10
	David Stone	4 00
	J. N. Connary	7 50
	W. E. Stevenson	4 50
	Elmer Egan	3 50
	Chas. Willey	17 75
	Harry Merriam	18 00
	E. B. Fuller	2 00
	W. H. Kimball	12 00
	B. Emery	8 75
	Walter Curtis	5 25
	Alton Hoskins	5 25
	Cleve Jordan	5 25
	Henry Young	1 75

Elwin Hapgood	2 49
Henry Brown	5 25
John Connary	1 64
Elmer Egan	87
	$281 98

The above account includes the labor on the Stratford Hollow wash-out.

Respectfully Submitted,
W. W. ROBERTS,
Commissioner.

Bert Stinson, Road Commissioner.

In account with Town of Stratford.

Cr.

1911		
Apr 26	Pd. Harold Stinson, labor on highway	$ 4 80
	Elwin Hapgood, labor on highway	1 75
	Bert Stinson, labor on highway	15 13
May 26	Elwin Hapgood " " "	3 93
	Harold Stinson " " "	3 93
	Charles Curtis " " "	25
	Bert Stinson " " "	11 13
June 28	Frank Stone " " "	5 25
	Carlos Parker " " "	3 50
	Guy Hapgood " " "	5 25
	Charles McMann " " "	6 12
	Sam Parker " " "	16 00
	C. P. Stinson " " "	4 00
	Harold Stinson " " "	10 50
	Bert Stinson " " "	45 50
Sept 10	Elwin Hapgood " " "	8 99
	John Jones " " "	5 68
	Bill Stone " " "	87
	Calvin Hapgood " and lumber	16 80
	C. P. Stinson "	2 76
	Bert Stinson "	5 40
	" " labor	17 45

Nov 13	John Jones	"	87
	Harold Stinson	"	4 80
	Elwin Hapgood	"	4 80
	Bert Stinson	"	26 00
	" "	"	8 25
	Emery and Will Ball	"	13 81
	Arthur Hapgood	"	3 25
	Louis Parker	"	4 50
	Sam Parker	"	4 00
	Sam Stone	"	3 00
	C. H. Curtis	"	5 15
			$272 42

Dr.

1911		
Apr 26	Town order	$ 21 68
May 26	" "	19 24
June 28	" "	96 12
Sept 10	" "	57 95
Nov 13	" "	36 47
1912		
Feb 14	" "	40 96
		$272 42

Respectfully Submitted.

BERT STINSON,
Commissioner.

Work on Stratford Hollow Bridge.

Andy Damon and boy, 5 days at $5 00	$ 25 00
Verne Schoff, 7¼ days at 2 00	14 50
Rodney Fuller, 7¼ days at 2 00	14 50
James Stevens, team 2 days at 4 00	8 00
Herbert Johnson, team 1 day at 4 00	4 00
Frank Dalbec, team 5¼ days at 4 00	21 00
Wm. O'Brien, 7¼ days at 2 00	14 50
Frank Stone, 2 days at 2 00	4 00
Earl Brown, 2¾ days at 2 00	5 50

Will Dennis, 2½ days at 2 00	5 00
A. D. Norcott, 6¾ days at 3 50	23 61
	$139 61

Filling brook and grading road :—

James Stone, man and 4 horses 3½ days at $6 00	$ 19 50
W. W. Roberts, 1 pair horses 5 days at 4 00	20 00
Frank Dalbec, 1 pair horses 5 days at 4 00	20 00
Rodney Fuller, 5 days at 1 75	8 75
Verne Schoff, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
John Portigue, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Levi Portigue, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Chas. McMann, 5 days at 1 75	8 75
Earl Brown, 3 days at 1 75	5 25
Willie Young, 3½ days at 1 75	6 12
Andy Damon, 3 days at 3 50	10 50
Wm. O'Brien, 3 days at 1 75	5 25
Andy Damon's boy, 3 days at 1 50	4 50
James Stone, 2 teams, 2 men 1½ days at 8 00	12 00
A. D. Norcott, 5¾ days at 3 50	20 11
A. D. Norcott, team to Stratford Hollow	1 50
	$164 97
H. T. Connary, bag salt	35
	$165 32

A. D. NORCOTT,
Commissioner.

State Highway.

Week ending May 19, 1911.

Ned Holmes, 4½ days at $1 75	$ 7 87
Karl Norcott, 3½ days at 1 75	6 12
Verne Schoff, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Irvin Chaffee, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87

John Hinman, 1 pair horses 4 days at 4 00	16 00
A. D. Norcott, foreman 4½ days at 3 00	13 50
Harry Irving, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
John Stevens, man and 1 pair horses 4½ days at 4 00	18 00
W. W. Roberts, man and 1 pair horses 3½ days at 4 00	14 00
N. W. Baldwin, man and 1 pair horses 2 days at 4 00	8 00
Cyrus Hartshorn, ¾ day at 1 75	1 20
Wm. Matchuran, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Geo. Stevens, man and 1 pair horses 4 days at 4 00	16 00
Ed Stevens, man and 1 pair horses 4½ days at 4 00	18 00
	$150 17

Week ending June 3, 1911.

Andy Damon, 4 days at $3 50	$14 00
Henry Mason, 3½ days at 2 50	8 75
James Stone, team 1 day at 4 00	4 00
James Connary, team ½ day at 4 00	2 00
Repairs on stone drag	1 00
A. D. Norcott, foreman 2½ days at 3 00	7 50
	$37 25

Week ending June 10, 1911.

Verne Schoff, 6 days at $1 75	$ 10 50
Karl Norcott, " "	10 50
Ned Holmes, " "	10 50
William Matchuran, 6 days at 1 75	10 50
Irvin Chaffee, " "	10 50
Frank Dalbec, team 6 days at 4 00	24 00
W. W. Roberts, " " "	24 00
John Connary, " 5¾ days "	23 00
Rodney Fuller, 4 " at 1 75	7 00
A. D. Norcott, foreman, 6 days at 3 00	18 00

Andy Damon, 1½ days at 3 50	5 25
Henry Mason, 1½ days at 2 50	3 75
John Dalbec, 6 days at 1 75	10 50
Madison Blodgett, 3 days at 1 75	5 25
O. J. Blodgett, team 3 days at 4 00	12 00
Irvin Blodgett, 2 days at 1 75	3 50
Fred Blodgett, " "	3 50
Grade rope	35
	$192 60

Week ending June 17, 1911.

Frank Dalbec, team 5 days at $4 00	$ 20 00
W. W. Roberts, team 5 days at 4 00	20 00
John Connary, team 5 days at 4 00	20 00
O. J. Blodgett, team 5 days at 4 00	20 00
James Stone, team 5 days at 4 00	20 00
Geo. Mason, team 5 days at 4 00	20 00
Verne Schoff, 5 days at 1 75	8 75
Ned Holmes, 4 " " "	7 00
Wm. Matchuran, 5 days at 1 75	8 75
Irvin Chaffee, " " " "	8 75
Rodney Fuller, " " " "	8 75
John Dalbec, " " " "	8 75
Madison Blodgett, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Irvin Blodgett, 5 " " "	8 75
Fred Blodgett, " " " "	8 75
Mahlon Jonah, 4 " " "	7 00
Eddie Stevens, 5 " " "	8 75
Harry Merriam, " " " "	8 75
Fred Virtue, 3½ " " "	6 12
Thos. Murphy, ¾ " " "	1 31
A. D. Norcott, foreman 5 days at 3 00	15 00
	$242 18

Week ending June 24, 1911.

Frank Dalbec, team 6 days at $4 00	$ 24 00
W. W. Roberts, " " "	24 00
John Connary, " " "	24 00

O. J. Blodgett, team 6 days at 4 00	24 00
James Stone, " " "	24 00
Geo. Mason, " " "	24 00
Verne Schoff, 6 days at 1 75	10 50
Karl Norcott, 5 1-2 days at 1 75	9 62
Ned Holmes, 6 days at 1 75	10 50
William Matchuran, 6 days at 1 75	10 50
Irvin Chaffee, 5 days at 1 75	8 75
Rodney Fuller, 6 days at 1 75	10 50
John Dalbec, " "	10 50
Madison Blodgett, 6 days at 1 75	10 50
Irvin Blodgett, " "	10 50
Fred Blodgett, " "	10 50
Mahlon Jonah, " "	10 50
Eddie Stevens, " "	10 50
Harry Merriam, " "	10 50
Alfred Paquin, " "	10 50
A. D. Norcott, foreman, 6 days at 3 00	18 00
	$306 37

Week ending July 1, 1911.

Frank Dalbec, team 1 1-2 days at $4 00	$ 6 00
W. W. Roberts, " 2 3-4 " "	11 00
" " " 1 1-2 " "	6 00
John Connary, " 1 1-2 " "	6 00
O. J. Blodgett, " 1 1-2 " "	6 00
James Stone, " 2 " "	8 00
Geo. Mason, " 1 1-2 " "	6 00
James Stone, 3 horses and man 1 day at 5 00	5 00
Verne Schoff, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Karl Norcott, 1 1-2 days at 1 75	2 62
Ned Holmes, 3 1-2 " "	6 12
William Matchuran, 4 " "	7 00
Irvin Chaffee, 3 1-2 " "	6 12
Rodney Fuller, 4 " "	7 00
John Dalbec, 1 1-2 " "	2 62
Madison Blodgett, 1 1-2 days at 1 75	2 62
Irvin Blodgett, " " "	2 62

Fred Blodgett,	1 1-2 days at $1 75			2 62
Mahlon Jonah,	3 1-2	"	"	6 12
Eddie Stevens,	3 1-2	"	"	6 12
Harry Merriam,	1 1-2	"	"	2 62
Fred Virtue,	1 1-2	"	"	2 62
A. D. Norcott, foreman,	5	"	3 00	15 00
				$132 82

Week ending Aug. 26, 1911.

Frank Dalbec, team	6 days at $4 00			$ 24 00
W. W. Roberts, "	4	"	"	16 00
John Dalbec,	6	"	1 75	10 50
Fred Virtue,	6	"	"	10 50
Irvin Blodgett,	6	"	"	10 50
Frank Mason,	6	"	"	10 50
Frank Paradis,	6	"	"	10 50
Fred Blodgett,	5	"	"	8 75
Allie Chaffee,	6	"	"	10 50
A. D. Norcott, foreman,	6 days at 3 00			18 00
				$129 75

Week ending Sept. 2, 1911.

David Stone, team and 2 men	4½ days at $7 25			$32 62
Frank Dalbec, team	4½ days at		4 00	18 00
W. W. Roberts, "	4½	"	"	18 00
James Stone, "	3	"	"	12 00
John Stevens, "	3	"	"	12 00
O. J. Blodgett, "	3	"	"	12 00
Geo. Mason, "	4½	"	"	18 00
W. W. Roberts, "	3	"	"	12 00
John Dalbec,	4½	"	1 75	7 87
Irvin Blodgett,	4½	"	"	7 87
Frank Mason,	"	"	"	7 87
Frank Paradis,	"	"	"	7 87
Fred Blodgett,	"	"	"	7 87
Allie Chaffee,	4 1-10	"	"	7 17
Rodney Fuller,	4½	"	"	7 87
Wm. Matchuran,	"	"	"	7 87
Verne Schoff,	"	"	"	7 87

Alfred Paquin,	4 1-2 days at $1 75	7 87
Madison Blodgett,	2 " "	3 50
Ed McLain,	2½ " "	4 37
A. D. Norcott, foreman, 4½ days at 3 00		13 50
		$233 99

Week ending Sept. 9, 1911.

David Stone, team 4 days at $4 00	$ 16 00
" " Blodgett, 1½ days at 1 75	2 62
" " Parker, 2 days at 1 25	2 50
Frank Dalbec, team 3½ days at 4 00	14 00
W. W. Roberts, 2 teams 4 days at 8 00	32 00
James Stone, team 3 days at 4 00	12 00
" " 3 horses and man 1 day at 5 00	5 00
John Stevens, team 3 days 3½ hours at 4 00	13 40
O. J. Blodgett, team 3 days 3½ hours at 4 00	13 40
John Dalbec, 3 days at 1 75	5 25
Irvin Blodgett, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Frank Mason, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Frank Paradis, 3 days 3½ hours at 1 75	5 87
Fred Blodgett, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Allie Chaffee, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Rodney Fuller, 3 days 3½ hours at 1 75	5 87
Wm. Matchuran, 3 days 3½ hours at 1 75	5 87
Verne Schoff, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Madison Blodgett, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Fred Virtue, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Mort Blodgett, 2 days at 1 75	3 50
A. D. Norcott, 4½ days at 3 00	13 50
	$199 78

Week ending Sept. 16, 1911.

David Stone, team 4 days 6 hours at $4 00	$ 18 40
Frank Dalbec, team 2 days 6 hours at 4 00	10 40

W. W. Roberts, 2 teams 4 days 6 hours at 8 00	36 80
John Stevens, team 4 days 6 hours at 4 00	18 40
James Stone, team 3 days 6 hours at 4 00	14 40
" " 3 horses and man 1 day at 5 00	5 00
O. J. Blodgett, team 4 days 6 hours at 4 60	18 40
John Dalbec, 1 day at 1 75	1 75
Irvin Blodgett, 4¼ days at 1 75	7 43
Frank Mason, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Frank Paradis, 4 days 6 hours at 1 75	8 05
Fred Blodgett, 4 ½ days at 1 75	7 87
Allie Chaffee, 4 days 6 hours at 1 75	8 05
Rodney Fuller, 4 days 6 hours at 1 75	8 05
Wm. Matchuran, 4 days 6 hours at 1 75	8 05
Verne Schoff, 4 days 6 hours at 1 75	8 05
Madison Blodgett, 3 days 6 hours at 1 75	6 30
Mort Blodgett, 4 days 6 hours at 1 75	8 05
Samuel Ramsey, 3 days 6 hours at 1 75	6 30
Richard Kingston, 2½ days at 1 75	4 37
Claude Robinson, 3½ days at 1 75	6 12
Sumner Chaffee, 1½ days at 1 75	2 62
A. D. Norcott, 4 days 6 hours at 3 00	13 80
	$234 53

Week ending Sept. 23, 1911.

David Stone, team 6 days at $4 00	$ 24 00
Frank Dalbec, " 3 " "	12 00
W. W. Roberts, 2 teams 5 days at 8 00	40 00
James Stone, 1 team 5 " at 4 00	20 00
" " 3 horses and man 1 day at 5 00	5 00
John Stevens, team 5 days at 4 00	20 00
O. J. Blodgett, " 4 " "	16 00
W. W. Roberts, " 1 " "	4 00
Irvin Blodgett 6 days at 1 75	10 50
Frank Mason, 6 " " "	10 50
Frank Paradis, 6 " "	10 50

Fred Blodgett, 2 days at 1.75	3 50
Allie Chaffee, 4 " "	7 00
Rodney Fuller, 6 " "	10 50
Wm. Matchuran, 5 " "	8 75
Verne Schoff, 5¼ " "	9 18
Madison Blodgett 3 " "	5 25
Mort Blodgett, 6 " "	10 50
Sam Ramsey, 6 " "	10 50
Claude Robinson 6 " "	10 50
Sumner Chaffee, 6 " "	10 50
Wm. O'Brien, 4 " "	7 00
Everett Stone, 1½ " "	2 62
L. F. Moore, drain pipe	5 06
Freight on same,	62
A. D. Norcott, foreman, 6 days at 3 00	18 00
	$291 98

Week ending Sept. 30, 1911.

Frank Dalbec, team 4½ days at $4 00	$ 18 00
W. W. Roberts, 2 teams 4½ days at 8 00	36 00
James Stone, 1 team 4 days at 4 00	16 00
" " 3 horses and man ½ day at 5 00	2 50
John Stevens, 1 team 2 days at 4 00	8 00
" " 1 pair horses 1¼ days at 2 25	2 81
O. J. Blodgett, 1 team 2 days at 4 00	8 00
Irvin Blodgett, 2 days at 1 75	3 50
Frank Paradis, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Allie Chaffee, " " " "	7 87
Rodney Fuller, " " " "	7 87
Wm. Matchuran, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Verne Schoff, " " " "	7 87
Mort Blodgett, 3 days at 1 75	5 25
Sam Ramsey, 3½ days at 1 75	6 12
Claude Robinson, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Sumner Chaffee, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Wm. O'Brien, " " " "	7 87

Thos. Hamel, 4 1-2 days at 1 75	7 87
John Doherty, " " " "	7 87
Dan Downey, 2½ " " "	4 37
A. D. Norcott, 4½ days at 3 00	13 50
	$201 88

Week ending Oct. 7, 1911.

Frank Dalbec, team 3¾ days at $4 00	$15 00
W. W. Roberts, 2 teams 2 " "	16 00
James Stone, team 2½ " "	10 00
John Stevens, " 2 " "	8 00
O. J. Blodgett, " 2 " "	8 00
James Stone, man and 4 horses 1½ days at 5 75	8 62
Frank Paradis, 4¼ days at 1 75	7 43
Allie Chaffee, 2 " "	3 50
Rodney Fuller, 4¼ " "	7 43
William Matchuran, 4¼ days at 1 75	7 43
Verne Schoff, 4¼ " "	7 43
Sam Ramsay, 4¼ " "	7 43
Carl Robinson, 2 " "	3 50
Sumner Chaffee, 2 " "	3 50
Wm. O'Brien, 4¼ " "	7 43
Thomas Hamel, 2 " "	3 50
John Doherty, 2 " "	3 50
Dan Downey, 2 " "	3 50
Andy Damon, 1¾ days at 3 50	6 12
A. D. Norcott, 4¼ days at 3 00	12 75
	$150 07

Week ending Oct. 14, 1911.

Frank Dalbec, team 4½ days at $4 00	$ 18 00
James Stone, team 1¼ days at 4 00	5 00
" " 4 horses and man 3 days at 5 75	17 25
Frank Paradis, 4 days at 1 75	7 00
Rodney Fuller, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Wm. Matchuran, 2½ days at 1 75	4 37
Verne Schoff, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87
Wm. O'Brien, 4½ days at 1 75	7 87

A. D. Norcott, 5 days at 3 00	15 00
Andy Damon, 2¼ days at 3 50	7 87
Hazen Blodgett, posts	3 75
May Fuller, tending lantern	50
C. V. L. Co., dynamite, caps and fuse	18 80
J. C. Hutchins, cement	24 19
Geo. A. French, blacksmith bill	11 10
Irvin Barnett, work on drag	8 14
Geo. Mason, team 2 days at 4 00	8 00
N. W. Baldwin, plank	2 50
	$175 08

Summary of Expenditures, State Highway.

Week ending May	19, 1911	$ 150 17
June	3	37 25
	10	192 60
	17	242 18
	24	306 37
July	1	132 82
Aug	26	129 75
Sept	2	233 99
	9	199 78
	16	234 53
	23	291 98
	30	201 88
Oct	7	150 07
	14	175 08
		$2,676 45

NORTH STRATFORD LIBRARY.

Receipts.

1907	Cash on hand	$ 45 84
	Town order	76 25
1908	" "	75 00
	Dramatic Co.	100 00
1909	Town order	25 00
1910	" "	75 00
1911	" "	112 50
1912	" "	237 50
"	" " bal. 1911	25 00
		$772 09

Disbursements.

Knights of Pythias, rent	$ 36 00
H. H. Hinman, rent from Aug. 1, 1908, to Feb. 1912,	262 50
C. E. Clark, supplies	47
V. C. Beecher, work	3 40
Freight,	2 04
Geo. H. Colby, books	93 25
J. C. Hutchins, table and chairs	18 40
Coos Co. Democrat, cards	3 00
C. M. Rice Paper Co., paper	5 72
J. C. Hutchins, supplies	3 03
W. B. Atwell, books	10 37
Knights of Pythias, book case	21 00
Chas. Scribner, books	37 11
G. R. Magoon, "	17 35
" " "	4 15

Silver, Burdett & Co., books	9 26
American Book Co.	6 80
Loring, Short & Harmon, books	11 63
E. E. Babb & Co.	2 22
Houghton Mifflin Co.	3 35
Ginn & Co.	1 28
Freight and express	1 00
E. E. Babb & Co., books	87
Silver, Burdett & Co.	21
Harper & Bros.	23 75
J. Davidson, repairs	9 20
Express	62
Freight	36
J. C. Hutchins, paint	3 00
J. Davidson, shelves	13 90
R. F. Beattie, supplies	85
H. H. Hinman, "	2 67
	$718 85
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1912	53 24
	$772 09

STRATFORD HOLLOW LIBRARY.

Receipts.

1907	Town order	$ 76 25
1908	" "	75 00
"	Insurance	150 00
1909	Town order	25 00
1910	" "	75 00
1911	" "	87 50
1912	" "	212 50
"	" " balance 1911	25 00
		$726 25

Disbursements.

Hall and Library Association, rent	$ 83 33
F. S. Whitney, rent	12 50
F. L. Kenney, "	152 50
W. H. Kimball, lumber	7 78
" " book	60
Geo. H. Colby, books	117 23
Loring, Short & Harmon, books	203 04
Freight	1 16
	$578 14
Cash on hand Feb. 1912	148 11
	$726 25

J. C. PATTEE,
Library Trustee.

State of New Hampshire.

To the inhabitants of the School District of Stratford qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said District on Tuesday, March 12 next, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:—

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member for the school board for three years.
4. To choose a treasurer for the School District for the ensuing year.
5. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise for the support of schools, more than required by law, including salary of school board, truant officers, superintendent, fuel and general expenses.
6. To see if the District will vote to build a new schoolhouse at Stratford Hollow and to raise money therefor.
7. To see what money the District will raise by vote to repair schoolhouses.
8. To hear the reports of agents, auditor or committees heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relative thereto.
9. To choose agents, auditors or committees relative to any article in this warrant.

Given under our hands at Stratford, New Hampshire, this twenty-fourth day of February, nineteen hundred twelve.

J. C. HUTCHINS, }
G. R. MAGOON, } School Board of Stratford.
H. T. CONNARY, }

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

H. H. Hinman, Treasurer.

Receipts.

1911			
Feb	20	Cash on hand	$ 970 41
	28	Town of Columbia, school seats	15 00
		Town of Columbia, tuition	24 00
Mar	6	H. G. Schoff, coal	32 12
	24	A. D. Norcott, treasurer	12 00
		Town of Brunswick, tuition	24 00
	30	Town of Bloomfield, tuition	120 00
Apr	10	Anthony Grogan, tuition	25 00
	15	Gordon Boyne, "	2 50
June	17	Annie Paschal, "	7 50
	22	A. D. Norcott, treasurer	18 00
Oct	6	" " "	250 00
	11	" " "	500 00
Nov	11	J. C. Hutchins, grass schoolhouse lot	2 00
Dec	6	A. D. Norcott, treasurer	250 00
	15	" " "	1,800 00
1912			
Jan	23	Everett Ramsey, tuition	8 00
Feb	12	A. D. Norcott, treasurer, balance school fund	1,974 85
	16	A. D. Norcott, dog tax, 1910-11	168 50

Feb 17	Town of Columbia, tuition, Ford French	24 00	
19	Ione and Mildred Stevens, tuition	21 50	
20	Genevieve Cooper, tuition	48 00	
	Eleanor Cooper, "	7 50	
	Town of Brunswick, "	85 50	
	H. A. Spencer, "	37 50	
	A. W. Smith, "	7 50	
			$9,405 38

Disbursements.

Salary of teachers for winter term:—

1911			
Mar 23	Ethelyn Pattee	$138 06	
24	" "	28 50	
	Pertie Gray	114 00	
	T. W. Watkins	5 00	
	" "	353 00	
	Flora Hapgood	144 00	
	Mae Laffin	5 00	
	" "	43 00	
	Elizabeth Jackson	52 50	
	Harriet Clark	12 00	
	Gladys French	10 00	
	" "	6 00	
	Brenda Drew	120 00	
	Blanche Royal	121 00	
	Angie Gould	121 00	
	Mildred Cleveland	72 00	
			$1,345 06

Salary of teachers for spring term:—

1911		
Apr 29	Flora Stone	23 00
May 8	Mae Laffin	35 00
19	" "	7 00
20	Flora Stone	24 00
June 8	" "	33 00
21	Pertie Gray	5 00

June		Mae Laffin	78 00	
		Brenda Drew	110 00	
		Blanche Royal	110 00	
		Angie Gould	110 00	
	24	Pertie Gray	100 50	
		Ethelyn Pattee	152 68	
	29	T. W. Watkins	265 50	
July	11	Flora Hapgood	108 00	
	21	T. W. Watkins	20 00	
				$1,181 68

Salary of teachers for fall term:—

1911				
Oct	6	T. W. Watkins	130 00	
		Mrs. T. O. Merriam	25 00	
	17	Ethelyn Pattee	30 00	
	27	Carrie Merriam	30 00	
		Pertie Gray	24 00	
Nov	1	T. W. Watkins	130 00	
	3	Brenda Drew	40 00	
	9	Edith Lowe	20 00	
Dec	4	T. W. Watkins	130 00	
	9	Pertie Gray	10 00	
	14	" "	169 00	
	15	Flora Hapgood	168 00	
		Edith Lowe	120 00	
		Ethelyn M. Pattee	180 00	
		Brenda Drew	100 00	
		Chester Chapman	119 00	
		Mrs. T. O. Merriam	115 00	
		Carrie Merriam	80 00	
		Gladys French	10 00	
		B. H. Smith	20 00	
1912				
Jan	1	T. W. Watkins	130 00	
				$1,780 00

Superintendent's services:—

1911				
Feb	28	W. B. Atwell	$ 5 00	

Mar 24	W. B. Atwell	5 00	
	" "	178 88	
May 13	" "	10 00	
June 29	" "	10 00	
	" "	121 69	
Oct 6	O. M. Holman	60 00	
Nov 2	" "	60 00	
Dec 7	" "	60 00	
1912			
Jan 10	" "	60 00	
			$ 570 57

Boarding teachers:—

1911			
Mar 24	J. H. Hanson	$112 50	
June 21	" "	30 50	
			$ 143 00

Janitor:—

Mar 24	Archie Paradis	$ 24 00	
27	Bernard Curtis	6 00	
Apr 11	Calvin Hapgood	10 00	
May 23	Lloyd Beecher	5 00	
26	" "	4 00	
June 21	Bernard Curtis	5 50	
	Fred Hardy	37 00	
July 21	Lloyd Beecher	15 00	
Aug 10	Calvin Hapgood	5 00	
Nov 2	H. T. Connary	23 60	
Dec 15	Chester Chapman	7 00	
	J. W. Butler	49 00	
	Bernard Curtis	7 00	
	Perley Mayberry	16 00	
			$ 214 10

Fuel:—

1911			
Mar 24	Maine Central R. R., freight on coal	$ 16 51	
	Randall & McAllister, coal	91 50	
	Edson Bronson, unloading coal	6 25	

May 6	Grand Trunk R. R., freight on coal	21 99	
13	Grand Trunk R. R., freight on coal	16 49	
27	H. A. Spencer, James Stone, unloading coal	11 00	
July 11	Randall & McAllister, coal	196 00	
Nov 2	H. T. Connary	12 00	
Dec 15	C. H. Curtis	20 00	
	C. E. Chapman, labor	3 00	
	W. W. Roberts	15 00	
27	" "	8 75	
1912			
Feb 10	J. C. Hutchins	38 50	
	T. H. Graham	13 50	
		———	$ 470 49

Cleaning schoolhouses:—

1911			
Nov 2	Bertha Paquin	$ 5 00	
Dec 26	Mrs. J. W. Butler	10 95	
1912			
Feb 14	Levi Hoskins	1 00	
	A. L. Wheeler	2 50	
	J. C. Hutchins	3 75	
		———	$ 23 20

Transportation:—

1911			
Feb 28	Arthur Hapgood	15 00	
	Mike Wheeler	10 00	
	Arthur Hapgood	25 00	
Mar 24	" "	5 00	
	" "	10 00	
25	Laura J. Whipple	60 00	
	Ransom Severy	54 00	
	Francis Nutter	15 00	
	Claribel Curtis	15 00	
	Vivian Curtis	9 00	
	Haven Schoff	55 00	

Mar	Michael Wheeler	45 00	
Apr 18	Francis Atkinson	13 00	
	Howard Atkinson	7 50	
June 27	Arthur Hapgood	30 00	
	" "	20 00	
	Mike Wheeler	50 00	
	Haven Schoff	50 00	
	Laura J. Whipple	55 00	
July 21	Claribel Curtis	13 75	
	Francis Nutter	13 75	
	Ransom Severy	46 80	
Aug 12	Francis Atkinson	5 50	
19	Esther and Annie Robertson	14 25	
Oct 11	Arthur Hapgood	15 00	
	Vivian Curtis	8 25	
Dec 15	Haven Schoff	70 00	
	Michael Wheeler	70 00	
	Arthur Hapgood	45 00	
	Laura J. Whipple	70 00	
	Ransom Severy	63 00	
	Claribel Curtis	17 50	
	Katharine Platt	17 50	
	Dewey Stone	17 50	
	Vivian Curtis	10 50	
	Charles Barnett	7 00	
	Francis Atkinson	7 00	
26	Arthur Hapgood	10 00	
1912			
Feb 14	Erastus Young	3 00	
		————	$1,068 80

Tuition:—

1911			
Feb 20	Town of Columbia	$36 67	
1912			
Feb 17	" " "	24 00	
		———	$ 60 67

Books and supplies:—

1911			
Nov 11	F. E. Compton & Co.	$ 18 00	
1912			
Feb 10	D. C. Heath & Co	20 38	
	Chas. Scribner & Sons	17 50	
	Oval & Koster	14 75	
	J. L. Hammett & Co.	2 25	
	Milton Bradley Co.	120 03	
	Boston School Supply Co.	4 05	
	L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.	23 96	
	Edson C. Eastman	80	
	G. R. Magoon	17 50	
	J. C. Hutchins	23 45	
	Harry R. Norcott	60	
14	Little Brown Co.	12 40	
	Silver, Burdett & Co.	12 84	
	Ginn & Co.	26 11	
	H. T. Connary	22 78	
	R. F. Beattie & Co.	11 56	
16	American Book Co.	17 84	
	Edward E. Babb & Co.	44 83	
17	Bailey Music Rooms	50 00	
			$ 461 63

Repairs;—

1911			
July 24	V. C. Beecher	$ 8 75	
Aug 11	" "	33 75	
Oct 11	Charles Williams	11 50	
	W. L. Blake & Co.	41 90	
	Chas. L. Lyman	110 50	
Dec 26	C. J. French	40 63	
1912			
Feb 10	J. C. Hutchins	186 10	
	Charles Mills	43 63	
	Est. P. D. Beckwith	206 10	
			$ 682 86

Incidentals:—

1911			
May 6	Coos County Democrat, printing	$ 1 00	
1912			
Feb 10	M. C. R. R., freight and express	8 70	
	Coos & Essex Water Co., water	12 00	
	Advertiser Press, printing	1 33	
	I. M. Holman, telephone, etc.	2 50	
	News & Sentinel, printing	2 25	
	M. P. Gallagher, repairing organ	2 00	
	A. L. Wheeler, truant officer	4 50	
	W. G. Brent, " "	6 00	
	W. B. Atwell, telephone, etc.	7 65	
	H. H. Hinman, treasurer	10 00	
	Auditors	2 00	
			$ 59 93

Summary.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand,	$ 970 41	
School fund,	7,774 85	
Tuition,	442 50	
Dog tax,	168 50	
Coal, school seats and grass	49 12	
		$9,405 38

DISBURSEMENTS.

Salaries of teachers,	$4,306 74
Superintendent,	570 57
Janitors,	214 10
Boarding teachers,	143 00
Fuel,	470 49
Cleaning,	23 20
Transportation,	1,068 80
Tuition,	60 67
Books and supplies,	461 63

Repairs,	682 86	
Incidentals,	59 93	
		$8,061 99
Cash on hand,		$1,343 39

H. H. HINMAN,
Treasurer.

STRATFORD, N. H., Feb. 22, 1912.

This certifies that we have this day examined the books and accounts of H. H. Hinman, Treasurer of the school board, and find them correctly compiled and vouchers on hand for all money paid out.

J. C. PATTEE, } School
LEVI CLEVELAND, } Auditors.

SUMMARY BY SCHOOL BOARD.

Number of weeks of school,	292
Number of schools,	8
Number of male teachers,	2
Number of female teachers,	7
Average cost per week,	$20 50
Number of boys attending school,	160
Number of girls attending school,	164
Average cost per scholar,	$19 07

Assets of School District.

February 15, 1912.

Cash on hand,	$1,343 39
Due from A. DeBanville,	96 00
" Town of Bloomfield,	96 00
" Town of Brighton,	24 00
" Fred Stevens,	30 00
" Elwin Robinson,	12 50
" Fred Fuller,	25 00
" Joseph Wheeler,	39 00

Due from	Anthony Grogan,	24 00
"	Frank Marshall,	7 50
"	W. H. Hobbs,	54 25
"	Joseph DeBanville	15 00
"	Frank Bartlett,	7 50
"	Mary Griffin,	15 00
"	Harry Irving,	15 00
		$1,804 14

Liabilities of School District.

$0 00

STRATFORD, N. H., Feb. 23, 1912.

To the selectmen and voters of the town of Stratford:

Gentlemen—We herewith submit our annual report showing receipts and disbursements for two hundred and ninety two weeks of school ending Jan. 1, 1912. In conformity with the statutory provisions, we hereby recommend that the selectmen assess with the other taxes for the use of the school board, the sum of five hundred dollars ($500) for the purchase of school books and supplies.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. HUTCHINS,
GARVIN R. MAGOON,
HARLAN T. CONNARY, } School Board of Stratford.

VITAL STATISTICS OF THE TOWN OF STRATFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st, 1911.

VITAL STATISTICS

In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June, 1877, requiring "Clerks of Towns and Cities to furnish a Transcript of Marriages, Births and Deaths to the Municipal Officers for Publication in the Annual Report." I hereby submit the following: EDW. B. FULLER, TOWN CLERK.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Stratford for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date of Mar'ge	Place of Marriage	Name & Surname of Groom & Bride	Residence at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Father	Birthplace of Father	No. Marriage	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom married.
Jan 7	Colebrook	Rodney S Fuller	Stratford	21	All White	Laborer	Bloomfield V	Myron C Fuller	Bloomfield V	1	Rev Wm Thompson
		Ethel Mayberry	"	22		Housek'per	Colebrook	Elias Mayberry	Casco Me	1	Colebrook
8	Stratford	Joseph O Guay	Canaan Vt	28		Blacksmith	Barford P Q	Jerry Guay	Quebec	1	Rev W J Cavanaugh
		Rose ZDuranlean	"	33		Housek'per	P Q	Sol Duranlean	Canada	1	Stratford
Apr 18	Isl'd Pond	Leslie L Bennett	Stratford	24		Laborer	Stratford	Chas I Bennett	Stratford	1	Rev Thomas Hall
		Rina M Stevens	Island Pond V	20		Housek'per	Brighton V	O L Stevens	Brighton V	1	Island Pond V
May 27	Groveton	Fred L Bartlett	Bloomfield V	22		Farmer	Bloomfield V	Eugene Bartlett	Bloomfield V	1	Rev A M Dunstan
		Ethel M Joyce	Stratford	20		Waitress	Averill V	Eli Joyce	Hereford P Q	1	Northumberland
June 19	"	HowardG Atk's'n	"	20		Farmer	Bloomfield V	Tom Atkinson	Melburn P Q	1	Rev A M Dunstan
		Flora E Stone	"	20		Sch T'ch'r	Stratford	James M Stone	Stratford	1	Northumberland
Aug 22	Stratford	CharlesHStevens	"	30		Laborer	"	Chas H Stevens	"	1	Rev W J Cavanaugh
		MaryL Latouche	WallisPond V	22		Housework	Manchester	Mi'ch'lL'touche	Canaan V	1	Stratford
Sept 2	"	Hubert W Silsby	Lunenburg V	22		Clerk	Lunenburg V	Geo C Silsby	Lunenburg V	1	Rob't S Barker J P
		Jessie L Curtis	Stratford	21		Sch T'ch'r	Stratford	Chas H Curtis	Stratford	1	Stratford
" 12	Colebrook	John H Hinman	"	25		Lumb'rm'n	"	H B Hinman	Canaan Me	1	Rev Sam'l R Smiley
		Jennie C Drew	Colebrook	25		Music T'ch'r	Colebrook	Warren Drew	Stewartstown	1	Concord
" 19	"	Jayson J Bordeau	Stratford	23		Laborer	St Albans V	Frank Bordeau		1	Rev Wm Thompson
		Mattie E Stinson	"	22		Housework	Stratford	Chas P Stinson	Clinton Me	1	Colebrook
Nov 21	Stratford	Joe Paradis	"	33		Section man	P Q	ArchilleParadis	St Simon P Q	1	Rev W J Cavanaugh
		Elva V Blodgett	Columbia	24		Housework	Columbia	Fred Blodgett	Berlin	1	Stratford
Dec 2	Milan	Jay A Sweatt	Stratford	27		Merchant	Colebrook	Alba A Sweatt	Colebrook	1	Rev A P Reynolds
		Elsie A Willard	"	26		Tel Operator	"	Geo P Willard	Lancaster	1	Milan

Births Registered in the Town of Stratford for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex & Condition: Male	Female	Living or Stillborn	No. Chi d. 1st, 2nd, etc	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan 15		M			3		Madison S Blodgett	Gertie M Blodgett	Laborer	Northumberland	Northumberland
21			F		1		Calvin R Blodgett	Bertha M Egan	"	"	Stratford
Feb 10		M			2		Rodney Fuller	Ethel Mayberry	"	Bloomfield Vt	Groveton
26			F		5		Michael J Wheeler	Nora McMann	Farmer	Canada	Stratford
Mar 7			F	All Living	1	All White	Herbert Hanks	Clara Provonchie	Laborer	Stratford	West Derby Vt
7		M			2		Herbert Hanks	Clara Provonchie	"	"	"
12			F		3		John Portigue	Ella Sweet	Farmer	Campton P Q	Columbia
May 31	Marion		F		3		Mark W Newcomb	Mary L McLearn	Laborer	Gorham Me	Portland Me
June 13		M			1		George C Stevens	Blanche A Brent	"	Columbia	Lancaster
July 2			F		9		Robert Christie	Lizzie Hardy	Farmer	Liverpool Eng	Stratford
Aug 17		M			7		Erastus Young	Mary Sweet	"	Stratford	Columbia
Sept 12	Ralph S	M			5		Robert S Barker	Alice B Thompson	Clergyman	Stoneham Mass	Boston Mass
Nov 1			F		6		Frank N Stone	Dora B Hapgood	Laborer	Stratford	Stratford

Deaths Registered in the Town of Stratford for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age Years	Age Months	Age Days	Place of Birth	Male	Female	Condition	Occupat'n	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Disease or Cause of Death
Jan 19	Stratford	Burton L Hapgood		1	15	Stratford	M		S		Burton Hapgood	Chloe Stone	Œdema of the Lungs
Feb 8	"	Elizabeth F Dale	67	1	23	N Brunsw'k		F	W	Housewife	John G Foster	Mary Bonnas	Pneumonia
Mar 19	"	Infant Hanks			2	Stratford	M				Herbert Hanks	Cl'raProv'nchie	Immaturity
10	"	Geneva E Brown	16	3	2	"		F	S		Harry W Brown	Edith R Newell	PulmonatisPhthisis
Apr 7	"	Diana Curtis	82	9	13	Canada		F	W		Francis Cease		Obstruction of Bowels
13	"	Ellen Demerse	73	11	16	Stratford		F	W	At home	Silas Dennis	Fuller	Senility
25	"	Flora Connary	52	7				F	M	Housewife	John E Bean	OctaviaBennett	Pernicious Anæmia
26	N'umb'ld	Lillian Blodgett		3	5	"		F	S		Calvin Blodgett	Bertha Egan	Congenital Heart Defect
May 21	Stratford	Madeline Gould	7	7	2	Bloomfield		F	S	School girl	Irving E Gould	Ella Harriman	Diphtheria
Aug 22	"	Eleanor M Devlin	13	10	4	Stratford		F	S	"	John J Devlin	Annie Doherty	Cerebral Menigitis
Sept 10	"	Eliza S Schoff	86	8	26	Brighton Vt		F	W		Walt'r Spaulding	Betsey Foote	Senile Debility
12	"	Mahala Hoskins	88	3	8	Stratford		F	W	At home	Elisha Chase	Mary Hoit	Senility
15	"	John Dalbec	73	10	23	Canada	M		W	Farmer			Intestinal Obstruction
Oct 22	"	Kate B Hinman	56	9	21	Canaan Me		F	W	Housewife	Levi S Barrett	Han'ah Holmes	Cerebral Meningitis
Nov 25	"	Clora Young	44		15	Columbia		F	M	"	Charles Sweet	Sarah E Bates	Mitral Regingtation
Dec 29	"	Annie L Thompson	78	10	2	Stratford		F	W	"	Elisha Baldwin	Huldah Alger	Senile Debility

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